

**CHAPTER NO. 795**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2623**

**By Representative Patton**

**Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2848**

**By Senators Burchett, Crowe**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1, relative to certification by the peace officer standards and training commission.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-8-107, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection (d):

(d) The commission shall also issue a certificate of compliance to any person employed as a security officer pursuant to §49-7-118 provided such person meets the qualifications for employment as a police officer and satisfactorily completes an approved recruit training program as required by this part. To retain such certification, the security officer shall also successfully complete an annual in-service training session appropriate for the officer's rank and responsibilities.

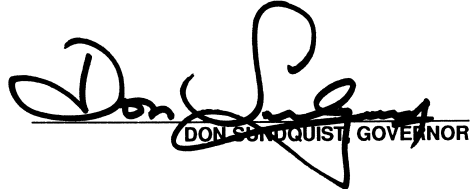
SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: May 22, 2002**

  
JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
JOHN S. WILDER  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

**APPROVED this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May 2002**

  
DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR